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HON. GARRETT A. HOBART.

The Vice-President of the United States is a self-made man. The American people will find Mr. Hobart to be a man of great will power.



Yesterday was Frederick Douglass Day in the public schools of this city. It was a great day for the children. The name of Frederick Douglass will go down to posterity as the most remarkable representative American of his age.



THEY SAY.

The boys will be disappointed.

President Cleveland didn't appreciate the services rendered him by the District Attorney.

Mr. Birney served him well.

Cardinal Wolsey once said, had he served his God as well as he served his king he would not have been left weakened to his enemies.

How well this will apply to some men in after ages.

A man who has not manhood is a very small man.

Be useful in all things.

Be true to your fellow man.

Great men never stoop to small things.

The heads of the several departments may find out that it is not convenient to adhere to the civil service rules.

It will defeat any party that sticks to it.

The Republican party will show itself either a party of nerve or a coward.

Why should Republicans be kicked out and Democrats appointed and then make a civil service order to keep them in.

Let the civil service law be abolished.

Let us all be united on Hewlett for a judge.

The Health Office ought to give itself a rest.

We shall have a few inspectors of Afro-American descent after next month.

We shall have a colored food inspector.

Be useful in all things.

THE BEE is the people's journal.

President Cleveland didn't pay a very high compliment to District Attorney Birney.

Any other man would have re-appointed him.

It was through his efforts that the Administration was sustained.

Mr. Birney ought to feel very kind to the President.

The President only appreciates two kinds of men.

Harry Davis is a fighter.

The editor of the Times is against the confirmation of Davis.

There is no difference between white men and colored.

There is a difference only where a Negro is in the question.

President McKinley will, no doubt, adhere to his civil service policy.

Dr. Shadd ought to do something with the High School.

He is on that committee now.

We want to see more work and hear less talk.

If Dr. Shadd joined in to have a white man placed over the High School we have our opinion.

Trustee Bruce will, no doubt, decide to appoint Prof. Brown at the High School after he has experimented.

Col. Andrew Gleason knows a thing or two.

Astwood ought to go over the files of his papers.

Perhaps he will learn something.

Perhaps the Board of Trustees will create a director of music.

It is an absolute necessity.

It is hoped that the trustees will appoint Prof. Layton.

We want no more pets appointed.

The Freedmen's Hospital has several candidates.

A two-faced person never thrives.

Secretary Gage knows how to handle money.

He refused \$200 for his membership as a club member.

Money received in a legitimate way can be better spent than otherwise.

How nice it would be if we all had honor and stood by it.

Friends will oftentimes do you more harm than enemies.

Several Afro-Americans will go abroad.



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JOHN BROWN'S DAUGHTER.

There are several kinds of sentimental colored people in this world who are an impediment to the race with which they are identified. There are two or three kinds that we shall briefly speak of in this article.

The first and important kind is the high-toned colored man and woman whose sentimentality is for an outward show and newspaper notoriety. This class claims to sympathize with the unfortunates, which is only for notoriety, and to be known to posterity as philanthropists.

Why should the colored public schools on Douglass day be disturbed by a collection for John Brown's daughter, a married white woman? Some of this class of colored men are endeavoring to bring themselves into notoriety by a penny collection to aid her in her distress. Because John Brown left a daughter, who married and was doing well in life, and subsequently failed in business, are not sufficient reasons for the colored people to be harassed to death every once in a while by a class of sentimentalists who are continually parading themselves before the public since their advent into Washington society. This agitation about John Brown's daughter is becoming to be a chestnut.

How many thousands of colored widows and orphan children, who were left to the mercy of their former masters and thrown out in the cold after the war, who are more in need of help than John Brown's daughter, who has done nothing for the elevation or advancement of the colored race? There are thousands in this country today more in need of the sympathy and aid of their people than John Brown's daughter.

Go into our alleys today and witness starving children. Peep into some of our doors and see helpless widows and orphan children who are paupers upon this community.

The next kind of sentimentalists are those who are all for charity. This class holds public meetings, makes big speeches and appropriate to much to his own use and to those who are not really in need.

These sentimentalists are eating cancers upon the community.

We have the most profound respect for John Brown's daughter, but we do not think that the Board of Trustees of our public schools should allow every theorist and sentimentalist to work upon their credulity by instituting what we consider fake charity.

THE DISTRICT ATTORNEYSHIP.

The opposition to Mr. Henry E. Davis as United States District Attorney to succeed Mr. A. A. Birney, is cowardly and uncalled for. Mr. Davis is entitled to confirmation, if it is the intention of the gold republicans to give gold democrats recognition. There seems to be a personal fight against Mr. Davis on the part of his once democratic associates. We want to see him confirmed because we believe him to be a true representative of the gold democrats and we know him to be a citizen of Washington.

Democrats, to a certain extent, are alike some republicans, they are never satisfied.

A clamor has been made for home rule and the moment a District man is nominated an effort is then made to defeat his confirmation. What does it mean?

We have nothing to say against

Mr. Birney. He has made a good District Attorney. He has in every particular sustained this administration, thus showing that he was a true friend to the President. Some are surprised because Mr. Birney was not renominated. In deed, we are not disappointed. It is an old rule, the more faithful a man is to his superior officer the less he is compensated. Certainly it has not been the District Attorney's fault that he is not renominated, because his faithful work speaks for itself.

JUDGE KIMBALL.

The Commissioners have decided to recommend to Congress a bill to compel the Judges of the Police Court to impose a fine upon persons who technically violate any of the health ordinances, instead of taking their personal bonds. Who ever requested the Commissioner to make such a foolish recommendation ought to be given a medal for inventing the most foolish idea of the age.

Certainly the Judges of the Police Court ought to know when to impose a fine better than one-half of the Health inspectors, who very often bring some poor, ignorant colored man or woman in court upon some of the most flimsy charges, which becomes necessary for Judge Kimball to either dismiss it or take personal bonds.

Last summer, when one of the meat inspectors brought a man in court on a charge of exposing for sale stale corn, the evidence was that the corn was a little dry. The milk, from the evidence of the inspector, was not out of the corn hence Judge Kimball as well as the spectators, were compelled to smile, and the inspector hurriedly became disgusted with himself. Perhaps these are the reasons the Commissioners have been requested to recommend to Congress to force Judge Kimball to fine citizens.

A TEMPEST IN A TEAPOT.

The tempest in the teapot that was stirred up by our distinguished fellow citizen, Hon. Geo. Washington Murray of South Carolina, has placed that gentleman in a very peculiar position in the eyes of the country. If Mr. Murray didn't intend to object to the vote of South Carolina he should not have created all of this wind, to the disgust of the people of this country. If the State of South Carolina, at the last election, was a bed of fraud, thievery and assassination, and the electoral votes for Bryan and Sewall were secured by fraud, etc., he should have objected to the count of his State and give law and reason for so doing. A man should know what he is doing before he does it, and after he does it he should be man enough to stand by it.

COL. L. M. SAUNDERS.

THE BEE is not in the habit of complimenting unworthy citizens, and when THE BEE said last week that Col. Saunders was being opposed for District Commissioner we want to be understood that it was rather cheeky for men who were opposed to the nomination of Major McKinley to oppose a man who was an original McKinley man from the start. Col. Saunders is a gentleman of the highest type, and a man who has always demonstrated his appreciation for the people. It was just a few days ago that he contributed 500 loaves of bread to the poor, and instructed those who had the distribution of those loaves to divide them equally among the white and colored people. This is the kind of man we want to see in power.

The editor of the Omaha Progress will not come on to the inauguration. He admits that walking will not be pleasant.

The Bishops of the A. M. E. Church will find that they will not be so influential as they may think, the Bib's gift to the contrary notwithstanding.

THE AFRO-AMERICAN IN POLITICS.

Complaint is now coming down the line against the successful state parties to the effect that Afro-Americans are being ignored in the distribution of patronage. Who is to blame? The colored man is to blame. He fails to take the importance of united action and exercise his strength as a factor, he is one, in the body politic of this country.

pneumonia has been quite prevalent in this city.

Perhaps the District Democrats may see their mistakes.

The Emancipation celebration will take a new turn this year.

The editor of the Times, Mr. Samuel Hutchins, should not be so ready to show his animus towards Mr. Davis because he was out-talked in debate by him.

Dr. Phil Browne Brooks is the most successful physician in South Washington, white or black. He is a gentleman of the highest order and has the confidence and respect of all who know him.

MADE TO ORDER.

Bishop Arnett of the African Methodist Episcopal Church was in Pittsburgh last Monday evening on his way to Washington to arrange for the entertainment of the members of the committee appointed to present to Major McKinley a bible for use in the inaugural ceremonies.

"The Bible upon which Major Wm. McKinley will make his oath of office on March 4th as President of the United States will be a very fine and elaborate volume," said Bishop Arnett. "The book will be donated to the committee for this purpose as a gift of the African Methodist Episcopal Church. It is now being printed in Cincinnati by the Methodist Publishing House. It will be handsomely bound and lined front and back with silk, with a suitable dedicatory inscription upon the inside. On the outside there will be a beautiful gold plate, in the form of a shield, on which the name of the President, the date and the name of the donors will be handsomely engraved. The Bible will be inclosed in a handsome box made of native Ohio wood and gold-mounted."

The distinguished Bishop knows when Major McKinley looks over that bible that was made to order for him by the Bishop of the A. M. E. Church, he will frequently stumble across these words: "The Lord loves a cheerful giver." "Do unto others as you would have them to do unto you." "Remember thy friends" and "Saul said unto his servants, provide me now a man that can play well and bring him to me."

These lines will strike the Bishop more forcibly than anything else. The Bishop has several men who want to play many parts, some for retention and some who want appointments.

When the Bishop and his bible-makers come to know themselves, they will say to one another: "What manner of man is this?"

Major McKinley will only remark and call their attention to this paragraph: "When thou givest in faith, thou shouldst not expect anything in return." This will be a great Bible the Bishop will present to the President, and the President will find many things to say to the Bishop that has passed out of his biblical recollection.

DEATH OF A WORTHY CITIZEN.

JOHN W. KAULS NO MORE—REVS. JOHN SON AND HOWARD SPEAK—HANDSOME FLORAL TRIBUTES.

Mr. John W. Rauls, a well-known citizen and the father of Mrs. Sadie R. Key and Mrs. Lucy Martin, and husband of Mrs. Frances Rauls, was buried from the Second Baptist Church on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Bishop Johnson delivered an eloquent address. He spoke of the excellent qualities of Mr. Rauls and his value as a citizen of the State in which he lived for a number of years. At the conclusion of his address Rev. W. J. Howard was introduced, who related some incidents in his life as a neighbor of his deceased friend.

Mr. Rauls was the father-in-law of Mr. Robert H. Keys, in whose house he died. He was a dignified and reverend looking gentleman, who commanded the respect and admiration of all who knew him.

The Second Baptist Church choir rendered several selections. At the conclusion of Rev. Howard's remarks the friends of the deceased were permitted to review the remains.

The casket was a handsome black one, made by the well-known funeral director, Mr. McKenzie Scott, under whose supervision the funeral was conducted. At 2:35 the remains were conveyed from the church to the last resting place on the farm of Col. Keys, where he has a private graveyard. This was the last wish of the deceased.

REV. LAMPKINS REMOVED.

Rev. W. J. Howard, pastor of Zion Baptist Church, who was appointed by Judge Cox to preside at a meeting of the Salem Baptist Church to determine the legality of the removal of Rev. Lampkins, reported to the Court Tuesday to the effect that his dismissal was sustained by a vote of 70 to 77. The followers of Rev. Lampkins have declared fraud. Others claim that Rev. Lampkins brought the whole trouble on himself.

ANNAPOLIS NOTES.

SOCIAL DOINGS IN THE ANCIENT TOWN—REV. PERKINS EXTENDING THE HONORS, CHURCH NEWS, ETC.

The leading event in the social circle of our ancient city was the marriage of Mr. J. H. Carpenter to Miss Katherine Collins at Mt. Airy A. M. E. Church Thursday night, 4th inst. Friends and relatives crowded the church, which was prettily decorated with potted plants, ferns and palms from the hothouse of Mr. Queen, one of our enterprising colored men. This expense was a tribute to the bride from Prof. Ray's family, of Naval Academy, with whom she has lived for a long time. They and many of their friends were present to witness the nuptials, which were one of the most fashionable affairs ever witnessed among our people, saving one. The bridal party entered the church to the music of Mendelssohn's march, rendered by Prof. Walter Spriggs, about 9 p. m. and was preceded by six bridesmaids and maids of honor. Miss Rosie Landrell was best girl. The maids of honor were Miss Mamie Chase and Miss Annie King. The best man was Mr. John Stepien; ushers, Thomas Richardson, Chas. Johnson, W. H. Holland and James Pointer. The ceremony was performed by Rev. B. T. Perkins of Asbury Church by request of the bride's family, who are members of Asbury, while the groom and family are members of Mt. Airy. Rev. S. T. Rice, the pastor, willingly consented to this arrangement and rendered all courtesy and respect that could be expected of any Christian gentleman, the rumor to the contrary notwithstanding. The reception was given at the bride's residence by her mother, Mrs. Eliza Collins. Those present were: Mrs. Louisa Carpenter, the groom's mother, Miss Elizabeth and Mr. George Collins, sister and brother of the bride; Misses Carrie and Agnes Hebron, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adison, Mr. Wm. Adison, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Spriggs, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bias, Miss Mary Henderson, Mrs. Safah Burks, Miss Carrie Brice, Miss Carrie Smith, Miss Blanche Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. George Adams, Mrs. R. West, Miss F. Carroll, Mrs. C. Johnson, Joseph and James Brown, Hall, Cully, Oden, Queen, Wm. Coates, W. Johnson, James Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thomas, Miss Mamie Green, Miss Mary Smothers, Miss L. Gray, Miss Elmira Bias, Mrs. M. Bias, Mrs. Sarah Worthington, Miss Katherine Camphor, J. T. Spriggs, Charles Pounder, Miss Katie Duval, J. H. King, Miss Hester Edwards, Lawrence Scott and W. Cully.

The Maryland Athletic Club, formerly known as the Lime Kiln Club, contemplate attending the inauguration, 4th of March, bedecked with their streamers of white and blue. Broer Gardner, their president, would like to make a speech concerning the morals, higherbelos and hipostatics of the Negro race. These youngsters will cut a pretty figure in the ceremonies, and unless their mothers' apron strings be handy, they will be apt to get lost. But should the police find a bunch of African flowers labeled M. A. C. they can ship them to Annapolis C. O. D.

Rev. A. Young, pastor of Asbury M. E. Church, Baltimore, Md., lectured at Asbury Church, this city, Monday night, to an appreciative audience on "Courtship and Marriage." Bro. Young is a pleasing speaker, and his lecture was full of amusing anecdotes and rhythms.

THE EMANCIPATION CELEBRATION.

35TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION—NOTICE SERVED ON BOGUS SOLICITORS.

The 35th anniversary celebration of the emancipation of slaves in the District of Columbia will take place Friday April 16th.

Historical and Celebration Association, George W. Stewart, has announced the following committee on finance for the coming celebration: Wm. Matthews, chairman; Alexander Oglesby, A. Acmith, Henry Anderson, Benjamin Kearne, Lewis Hill, Albert Bailey, Joseph Smothers, J. H. McDowell, W. P. Gibson, W. H. Hall, J. Carter, J. W. Coles, Alexander Hawkins, W. H. Simpson, J. W. Wanser, M. Herbert Johnson, J. W. Waval, T. H. Gibson, Addison Bankett, Washington Perkins, Tascoe Adams, C. C. Smith, W. B. Simms, Tillman Dorsey, J. T. Deed, F. W. Brown, George Fletcher, Brery Broadus and Lewis Willis.

W. Calvin Chase, Editor of THE BEE was unanimously chosen orator of the day, and THE BEE was adopted as the official organ of the association. The association also issued the following notice:

I therefore call your attention to section 3, of article 4 of the constitution, that no person or persons shall solicit money or other contributions in the name of the association unless it be done under the corporate seal, and any person who solicits money in the name of the association for defraying the expenses of the 16th of April, 1867, except under the authority of its seal, shall be prosecuted under the laws of the District of Columbia.

Done by order of Board of Directors.

GEO. W. STEWART, President.

ATTEST: J. W. Coles, General Secretary.

LITERARY NOTES.

The Fashion Department in Demorest's Magazine for March is full to overflowing with information regarding dress for the coming season, and those who like to get their spring sewing out of the way early will do well to consult its pages.

Almost everyone is interested in the North Atlantic Squadron, but very few know of the life aboard a man-of-war. A profusely illustrated article, "A City Afloat," in Demorest's Magazine for March, gives a graphic account of the daily routine on board a modern war-vessel, and is very interesting reading.

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President Geo. W. Stewart of the thirty-fifth Anniversary Celebration of the Emancipation of Slaves in the District of Columbia, is receiving encouraging reports from all sources to the effect that the turn out on the 16th will be one of the largest in the history of the affair.

The committee will erect a large platform at Lincoln Park, where the exercises will be held. Invitations have been sent to many distinguished citizens to occupy seats on the stage.

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All Military Organizations similarly circumstanced are advised to communicate at once with Major C. A. Fleetwood, 1144 15th street, n. w., Washington, D. C.

In ALL CASES give name of organization and of Commanding Officer. State the number of persons for whom quarters are desired, and for how many days and the call will have prompt attention.

Mr. Terrell is Chairman of the Sub-Committee, Public Comfort and Major Fleetwood a member of the Military Committee. Either of them will cheerfully furnish all needed information to prospective visitors.

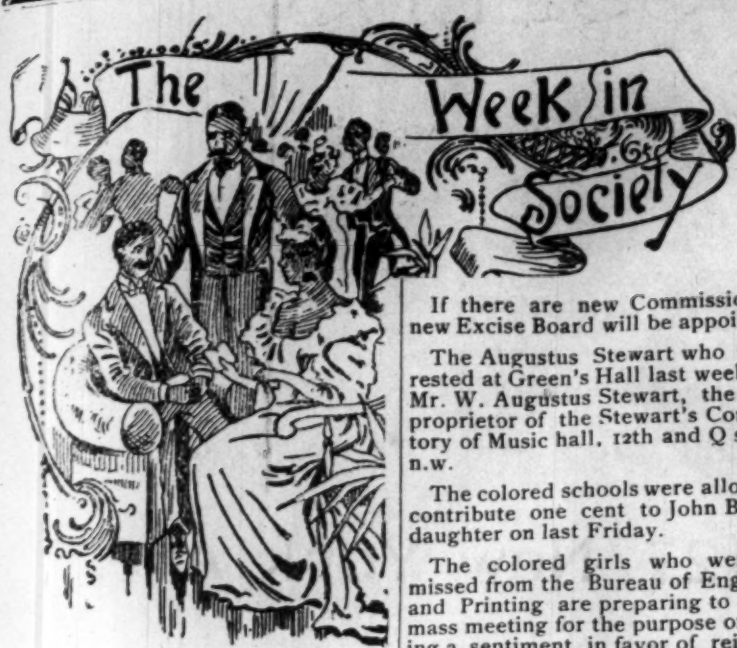
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NEW THROUGH LINE TO INDIANAPOLIS AND CHICAGO.

Commencing January 24, the B. and O. R. will operate a through line of Pullman Buffet Drawing-room Sleeping Cars between Washington, Washington, Indianapolis and Chicago, via Cincinnati.

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Mr. Henry Jarvis, by his attorney, Edward G. Niles, will enter suit against Congressman Charles J. Bonner of Louisiana for \$10,000 for false arrest.



THE WEEK IN SOCIETY

If there are new Commissioners a new Excise Board will be appointed.

The Augustus Stewart who was arrested at Green's Hall last week is not Mr. W. Augustus Stewart, the genial proprietor of the Stewart's Conservatory of Music hall, 12th and Q streets, n.w.

The colored schools were allowed to contribute one cent to John Brown's daughter on last Friday.

The colored girls who were dismissed from the Bureau of Engraving and Printing are preparing to hold a mass meeting for the purpose of creating a sentiment in favor of reinstatement under the next Administration.

WHAT THE BEE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW.

How many applicants for office will be disappointed.

If the Dr. Boyd of Nashville, Tenn., knows that he is in the soup.

If he knows that home rule is the policy of the next Administration.

How many men can hope to be remembered by the next Administration.

Is it wise to tell all you know.

What Col. M. M. Parker will do at the next meeting of the National Committee.

Will C. M. Smith be our next Supreme Court Judge.

WHAT THE BEE WOULD LIKE TO SEE.

Harry Smith recognized.

John A. Moss on top.

Campbell Carrington continue to coin money.

Less jealousy among colored lawyers.

Col. J. W. Douglass once more on top.

IT IS RUMORED.

A quiet investigation is going on.

Applicants for office will bring three months' rations with them.

Major McKinley has informed colored office-seekers what he intends to do.

There are thousands who don't want Henry E. Davis confirmed.

Judge Cox will retire after Major McKinley comes in.

District Attorney Birney may be put on the bench.

Lawyer Jones wants to be prosecuting attorney in the Police Court.

Prosecuting Attorney Mullenwey wants a reappointment.

Prosecuting Attorney Jeffords is not at all worried.

Burke Cockran will go abroad.

No colored politician has been invited to Canton as yet.

He has generally gone on his own volition.

The colored politician is hungry, and hungry right.

SLIPS AND SLIDES.

Fort Worth Item says Liliuokalani is not a negress.

Mat N. Lewis is a great Afro-American editor.

A bride and groom came near being suffocated by gas in New Bern, N. C.

Hon. John C. Dancy is a candidate for the collectorship at Wilmington, N. C.

Col. Robert H. Smalls will come to the front again.

Prof. Booker T. Washington will be in Alexandria, Va., April 6.

Charlie W. Anderson of New York will be the recognized force from that State.

Prof. T. M. Dent of Georgia is a candidate for Minister to Haiti.

Col. John H. Deveaux of Georgia is a candidate for Collector of Customs at Savannah, Ga.

W. C. Coleman of Concord, N. C., is the coming industrial factor in the South.

The Jacksonville Advocate and several other Southern papers are after W. C. C. Jacques. One of his lady teachers will appear before the Grand Jury in this city next week.

Dr. Boyd of Nashville, Tenn., is a candidate for the Freedmen's Hospital in this city.

The editor of the New York Age thinks the editors of the Chicago Conservator hysterical. She has reserved her opinion of the Age's editor.

Hon. E. P. McCabe of Guthrie is a candidate for Secretary of State. Mac is a hustler.

Hon. John M. Langston is a candidate for District Commissioner, to succeed Col. Truesdell.

The four big bosses in this country are: Quay of Pennsylvania, Platt of New York, Hanna and Foraker of Ohio.

THE WASHINGTON BEE is attending to the Eastern section of the political acrobat, Too Too Fortune, while the Herald is taking care of the Western end of this ever-changing politician.

We have wired THE BEE thus:

"Cyclone dense, lurid air; Hide on fence, Fortune's hair."

Herald.

FREDERICK (MD.) NOTES.

The Columbia Negro Art School, Misses Luckey and Pinckney, instructors, will give a grand exhibition of their pupils' work, interspersed with solos, duets and recitations about the 12th inst. It promises to be a grand affair. Every self-respecting Afro-American should make it a point to be present. See bills for particulars.

The Teachers' Institute for Frederick County teachers will be held in the City Hall Feb. 17, 18 and 19. There will be no color line so far as assembling is concerned—white and black all together. One of the colored schools of this city has been invited to sing for the occasion.

Rev. E. W. Scott of Baltimore spent Sunday in this city and preached two able and eloquent sermons at Asbury M. E. Church. It was Mr. Anthony King's class rally day.

Miss Abrie Bentley, a highly esteemed and popular lady in social circles, has been very ill. At this writing she is said to be somewhat recovering.

"Doc" Coleman, proprietor of one of Frederick's leading tontorial parlors, has been very much indisposed the last week with the gripe. Notwithstanding, he paid a business trip to Washington.

The cantata, given at Nazareth Hall by the trustees of Asbury Church Thursday and Friday nights was the best of the kind given in this city. Mr. Shanks gave an address.

THE HAND OF DEATH.

Mrs. Matilda A. Charlton died at her residence Monday, Feb. 8th, and was buried Thursday at 2 o'clock from Plymouth Congregational Church.

Mr. John W. Rauls, husband of Mrs. Mary Francis Rauls and father of Mrs. Lucy Martin and Mrs. Sadie R. Keys, died at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Robert H. Keys, 211 3d street, s.w., last Sunday, Feb. 7, and was buried Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. W. Bishop Johnson preached the funeral sermon.

The remains were carried to Maryland to be interred. Mr. Rauls was a highly respected citizen and a man who was liked by all who knew him.

Miss Elizabeth Beckett died at the residence of her father, 1319 12th st., n.w., Tuesday morning and was buried Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Vermont Avenue Baptist Church.

Mrs. Towles and Mr. Lawdon were buried from the Vermont Avenue Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon at the same time. The crowd was large.

JOHN G. JONES, A COLORED CHICAGO LAWYER, HONORED.

The lawyers in the State of Illinois, who number over 3,000, met last Monday in the court room of the Court House in Chicago and organized a strong organization, to be known as the Cook County Lawyers' Association. None but those who have been admitted by the Supreme Court of Illinois can be members of this association.

The object, aim and purpose of this Cook County Lawyers' Association is to maintain the honor and dignity of the profession of law in the State of Illinois and to cultivate social intercourse among its members, and to increase its usefulness in promoting the due administration of justice. This organization is now incorporated under the laws of this State, and the following officers were elected: President, W. S. Elliott, Jr.; 1st Vice-President, Col. James H. Deane; 2d Vice-President, Jeremiah Sullivan; 3d Vice-President, John G. Jones; Secretary, Ossian Cameron; Treasurer, M. M. Miller.

John G. Jones was the only colored lawyer in the State of Illinois that was elected to any office. Mr. Jones is a prominent lawyer at the Chicago bar, and has tried every kind of a case known in the law.

THE FLAG PRESENTATION.

The beautiful flag to be presented to the High School Cadet Battalion will arrive from the factory on Monday, the 12th inst. This graceful tribute of the Veteran Soldiers and Sailors to the young men growing up now to take their places in the talk of the town, and will, no doubt, tax the capacity of the splendid Market House Hall at 9th and C sts., n.w., and the occasion made one long to be remembered. The program of presentation exercises has been arranged not to exceed one hour.

A call to order by President James W. Butcher; a prayer; reading of resolutions by Capt. Oglesby; presentation by Major C. A. Fleetwood; response by Prof. W. S. Montgomery; music by an orchestra of ten pieces and choruses; dress parade and drill by the High School boys, and a couple of hours still to dance on the splendid floor of the hall furnishes a programme not to be excelled. Our advice is, Go early Friday evening, Feb. 19. Sure.

THE SECRETARY GRANTS THE BOAT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 6, 1897.

Sir: Referring to the joint letter of Mr. Lewis Willis, President of the Navy, requesting the loan of a boat to be used in the Emancipation Parade on the 16th of April next, you are informed that the Commander of the Navy Yard, Washington, D. C., has been authorized to loan a boat for the purpose mentioned, upon application to him at the proper time and under the usual conditions.

Very respectfully, PHILIP HICHBORNE, Chief Constructor, U. S. N., Chief of Bureau.

Robert Dorsey: The following officers have been elected to command the boat: Robert Dorsey, Captain; J. R. Evans, Lieutenant; Charles Purdy, Ensign; John Barber, Chaplain.

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Mr. Wm. Morris at the corner of Third and G streets southwest is one of the best known men in that section. If you want good beer, wine and cigars, don't fail to give him a call. Mr. Morris is a true gentleman.

Lynch and Terrell, two of the best known attorneys in this city, are men the people should patronize. This is a reliable firm.

Mrs. J. W. Cooper, Center Market, stand 195 and 197, is the widow of the late J. W. Cooper.

Do you want fine produce? If so go to V. S. Moton who has been established since 1866. Stands 199, 200 and 201 enter Market. You can get all you want in fresh vegetables, and delivered to all parts of the city.

If you want first class goods go to M. F. Moran, whose card appears in this week's issue of The Bee. He is a man of the people.

Mr. E. P. Smith, whose card appears in this week's issue of The Bee, is one of the best known business men in the northwest. Mr. Smith conducts the Fair at No. 1712 14th street, n.w., where the people can purchase some of the cheapest Christmas presents in the city. This gentleman is a liberal and kind man to our churches, fairs, and the poor. His name is a household word among all classes of people. Give him a trial.

Mr. Samuel G. Stewart is no doubt one of the finest young men in business. He is a young man who has won his way by industry and perseverance. He is kind hearted and a man who never forgets a friend.

Mr. Hudson is the place after all. This veteran business man can be found at 818 7th street, northwest. You can get some of the best and finest dinner, supper, and breakfast sets in the city. Crockery, China ware, etc. almost given away. Just call and mention The Bee and you will get a discount on all goods.

Mr. J. R. Gow, the shoe man, at 1638 14th street, northwest, is no doubt the best and cheapest place in that section of the city. If you want cheap and good shoes, don't fail to call at his place of business.

Mr. G. W. Sanford, dealer in all kinds of fresh fish, can be found in the Center Market, stands 428 to 432. He is one of the jolliest men in the business and one of the most reasonable.

John H. Gates who keeps at No. 1235 11th street southeast is where the boys go to get good beer, wines and whiskies. Mr. Gates is a man much liked by all classes.

Captain James F. Oyster, the best known butter merchant in this city, and one of the men in the business whose butter can be relied on. Captain Oyster sells pure better only.

Mr. James Ryan at 331 C street southwest is well known in the Southwest. Mr. Ryan is very much liked on account of his liberality to the poor people.

Mrs. D. C. Jones at 220 B street and 235 Penn. avenue, n.w., is a place where you can be well cared for. Mrs. Jones is a whole soul business woman.

Among the many houses in this city that are entitled to patronage of the people are those that appear from time to time in The Bee.

The next in order is Mr. Charles Kraemer, 735 7th street, n.w. Mr. Kraemer whose card appears in The Bee shows the inside of his great place of business.

He is an affable gentleman and his assistant in the rear is an accommodating gentleman.

Mr. James Tharp at 812 F street, northwest, is one of the oldest and best wine houses in the city. Mr. Tharp is a man who recognizes merit. He keeps some of the best in the market.

Mr. J. Diemer, at 625 D street, n.w., can always be seen endeavoring to please his friends. It is a legal bar resort. Don't fail to call in after leaving his courts.

The Family Shoe Store at 310-312 7th street northwest is just the place to purchase your shoes. Don't miss the number.

The largest hotel for Afro-American guests will be found in The BEE directory of hotels. The largest and best houses in the city.

E. Murray, at 600 and 602 3d street, southwest is the best Afro-American confectioner in the city and equal to all others. His cream cannot be surpassed. Mr. Murray has every facility for making good cream and cakes.

Do you want your house furnished? If you do, then go to House and Herrman, 7th and I streets, northwest. These gentlemen were the first in the country to introduce the credit system, which reduced these monopolies in the house furnishing business. This firm made all other houses throughout the country reduce their prices in household goods.

Chandlée & Rowzee, at 1337 Pennsylvania avenue, n.w., is the place to purchase your good holiday cigars.

Mr. George F. Kozel, at 1815 14th street, is where the best people in the city go to be refreshed. No man is better known to the people than Mr. Kozel.

J. F. Downey, at 326 G street, s.w., is the man after all. Call and see him. He is an affable gentleman. He will treat you well.

Should you pass in your checks and desire to leave the earth by necessity, have your friends to send for J. H. Dabney, 441 L street, n.w.

Joseph Gawler, 1734 Penn. avenue, northwest.

R. F. Harvey, 892 Penn. ave., n.w.

George W. Wise, 2900 M street, Georgetown, D. C.

John R. Wright, 1337 10th street n.w.

Mr. Voigt, who has one of the best establishments in the city, where you can purchase fine jewelry of all kinds is too well-known for an introduction to the people. Go and visit his place and say The Bee sent you.

George & Co., 908 7th street, northwest, is where you will find the best goods. Take your boys there and say The Bee sent you. Mr. George is an affable and just man to the people.

Mr. Julius Cohen is one of the best known business men in this city, and a man who will treat you well when you call to see him. Just think of it. Full dress suit for hire and only one dollar.

When you go to the Center Market, go to stands 251, 452 and 453. If you go to the Northern Liberty Market, call at stands 401 and 302. Ask for Mr. Miller or Krogman. They keep the best hams, lards, etc. in any market. Don't fail to give them a call.

Mr. L. H. Harris, corner 3d and F streets southwest, is the best drug store in South Washington. If you want pure drugs call on him.

Mr. Hurlbush pharmacy at the corner of 14th and V streets, n.w., is one of the most reliable places in the city. Mr. Hurlbush compounds prescriptions carefully, and his drugs are always pure.

If you want the finest hand-made cigars in the country, sumatra wrapper, Havana filled, go at once to Carney's factory, 921 G street, s.w. Mr. Carney is a business man of ability. Don't fail to go and inspect his factory and see for yourselves.

The old reliable Frank Hume, at 454 Penn. avenue, n.w., is the place to go for your groceries. Frank Hume's name is a household word to housekeepers.

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If you are in the vicinity of 443 1st street, s.w., don't fail to ask for Mr. Robert H. Key, where you can satisfy the inner man. Mr. Key is an open hearted and kind friend.

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Do you want your watch or clock repaired? Have your eye glasses out of order? By all means go to H. W. Peters & Co., at 1720 Seventh street northwest. Mr. Peters is one of the most affable gentlemen in this city.

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O. P.—Tis folly to waste your time any longer on a person you have failed to reform in three years.

N. N.—Ask your mother's consent. Girls are not much thought of who do not respect the advice of their parents.

E. V.—Don't forget the fact that your own interest is at stake when you associate with people of questionable character.

Empty titles are very prevalent among some of our society gentlemen. Girls don't get fooled. A laboring man will often make the better provider.

We should not seek or ask for what we can never get. "Life is only what you make it."

People who are over anxious about your welfare are often so more or less for their own advantage.

Lottie.—The only way to gain friends is to attend to your own affairs.

A silent listener is better than a gossiping one, who tries to be a conversationalist. A great volley of words in one breath shows a nervous disposition.

Any one who tries to deceive his best friend, can never be true to himself. Such actions lead only to degradation and shame.

Lena.—To worry about your age is all folly. Physicians say that a woman is at her best when thirty-five and surely at twenty-five a girl is quite youthful.

For a gentleman to take a lady's arm in the day time shows ignorance or too much affectation. Of course invalids are excepted.

Fannie.—Some people claim to be face readers. But not a bit of it is true. I have seen some of the most sober faces with a heart always full of joy and some merry looking faces, whose possessors don't seem to know how to give a pleasant reply. Girls take my advice and don't judge by faces but by actions.

The person who advises you to do what he himself would not do is a traitor.

Jennie.—It may seem sometimes that obstacles and difficulties are all ways in our way. Only a clear understanding is necessary then we can wisely plan to avoid and overcome them.

Candidate.—The social life of a church should not be the first object of your thought; if so, your christian life is already a failure.

Juliet.—Oh, no, a highly educated woman will hardly be happy with an ignorant husband. Though since there are so many more women than men, I suppose some of our educated girls will have to own the name of ignorant men.

Bride.—You should furnish the invitations and give the reception. It is only a matter of desire as to giving the groom a present. It is certainly very unusual. The groom oft-times presents the bride with a handsome gift.

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E. B.—When introducing two gentlemen whose names are the same their christian names should be mentioned.

Eva.—It is certainly improper to lunch with a man whose acquaintance is so short, that you do not know whether he is single or not.

Mamie.—You should not fuss. As a rule dissatisfied people are never happy. You have asked for advice and he is in earnest, if he tells you so. Men of course, are peculiar. He must appreciate you from the fact he is never happy unless he is in your company. Go to school and think not of courtship.

Essie.—Be womanly and true to your friends. A person who suspicious everybody is himself guilty of some offense.

Ella.—You should not be so suspicious. You are slowly poisoning the flower that is blooming and destroying the light that is burning for you. We all know the sweetness of your disposition and your honest heart.

Nellie.—Take my advice don't be in a hurry. There is many an honest heart under tattered gowns.

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In view of the fact that there is so much chin music relative to bogus Masons designated by certain smart Isaacs, who know it all, the following is submitted:

The ancient records of the Grand Lodge of England show that about 1775, Gen. Gage, commanding a British brigade located at Boston, Mass., for the purpose of fighting the United States. In said brigade was what was known as a Military Lodge of Masons. The Worshipful Master of said Lodge was named Hays. The English brethren invited Brothers Prince Hall, Cyrus Jonhuus, Bueston Slinger, Thomas Sanderson, Prince Tayden, ato Spain, Boston Smith, Peter Best, Fortin Howard, Prince Rees, John Canten, Peter Freeman, Benjamin Tiber, Duff Buforn and Richard Tilley to become Masons. In due time the invitation was accepted and the fifteen brethren were entered, passed and raised. During the time the brigade remained in Boston the colored brethren worked with their white brethren, and when the brigade left for home the colored brethren petitioned the Grand Lodge of England for a charter, which was granted Sept. 20, 1784. The following is a copy of the receipt:

"Received Feb. 28, 1787, of Captain James Scott, five pounds, fifteen shillings and sixpence, being the fee on the warrant of Constitution for the African Lodge as Boston for the Grand Lodge of the Society of Free Masons. £5 15s. 6d.

Wm. WHITE, G. Sec'y." Prince Hall was appointed as the first Master of No. 459 (African Lodge) and also Provincial Deputy Grand Master for North America. In due time a Lodge was made in Philadelphia. Then one was formed in Rhode Island.

By reason of slavery and prejudice against colored Masons of the United States, in 1847, Worshipful Brother John T. Hilton of the African Grand Lodge of Boston; Mass., seeing the condition that the craft was getting into, and in order to bring order out of confusion, followed the precedent established by Prince Edward (who in 1796 ordered a general assembly of the Masons in England to meet him in York). On the 24th of June, 1847, the brethren met at Boston, Mass., and continued the same until June 26. At this council of deliberations, in view of the fact that the white Masons of this country would not recognize the colored brethren, it was resolved that the "colored brethren form themselves as an Independent Grand Lodge, to be designated as the National Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Ancient York Rite, Masons of the United States of America, and Masonic jurisdiction, with full power to grant warrants of constitutions to all State Grand Lodges under their jurisdiction, and that the State Grand Lodges have the same power.

(To be continued next week.)

GEMS FROM THE QUARRIES.

The Odd Fellows of New York City will soon have a hall. Bro Wm. David Brown, the president of the Board of Trustees, has the matter in charge. The buildings Nos. 158 and 160 West 29th street will be remodeled with the modern improvements, and will be ready by May 1, '97.

At the annual communication of the Most Worshipful Union Grand Lodge at Orlando the following grand officers were elected: Rev. S. H. Coleman, grand master (re-elected, sixth term); H. H. Dickerson, deputy grand master; Rev. W. F. Thompson, grand senior warden; Gen. J. T. Walls, grand junior warden; Rev. Benj. Dilworth, grand chaplain; H. W. Chandler, grand secretary (re-elected); A. J. Junius, grand treasurer (re-elected).

For Masonic Benefit Association—W. A. Glover, secretary; Rev. T. T. Gaines, treasurer.

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Time and place of meeting of the next annual communication will be mentioned in the Advocate next.

The True Reformers of Norfolk gave a grand union dinner at the hall, Queen street, January 29. There was a large number present.

Broadwater Lodge, No. 55, F. A. A. M., of Vicksburg, Miss., installed officers Dec. 22.

Jan. 24, the K. of P. of Manchester, Va., celebrated their anniversary.

A private reception was tendered the new sub-committee of management recently at the residence of ex-District Grand Master F. A. Howard of Philadelphia, Pa. About forty were present and an enjoyable time was had.

NECROLOGY.

Jan. 25, at New Orleans, La., Dr. C. Perez; cause, grip. Deceased was well known and much respected. At one time the Doctor resided in Washington.

Jan. 24, Bro. Frederick Banet of New York City. Deceased was prominent, and formerly lived in Washington, D. C., and Wilmington, Del. The fraternities of Odd Fellows and K. of P. were present in goodly numbers. Interment at Cypress Hills Cemetery.

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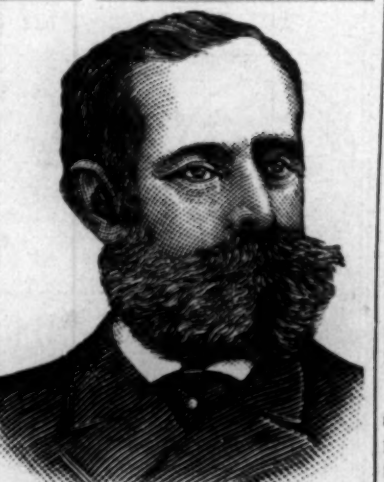


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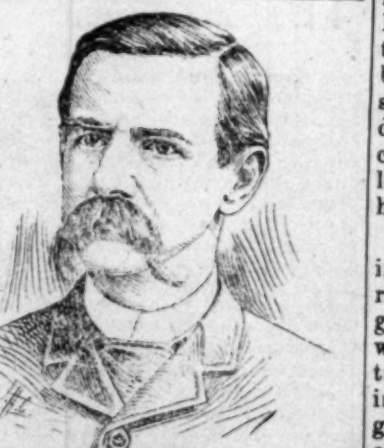
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who has been practicing law for a number of years. Mr. Moss is known as a defender of the police. He has a large number of white clients, who always bet on Mr. Moss. There are other candidates for the place held by the Adonis of the Police Court, namely, Mr. Thomas L. Jones, of the firm of Langston & Jones. His cut will appear in the next issue of THE BEE.



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SPECIAL NOTICE.

Mme. A. Lee Slade's production of the drama "East Lynne," will take place at Raines' Hall, in the Monumental City, Friday evening, Feb. 26. Don't fail to attend.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All parties who have rooms to let, with or without board, during the inauguration week should inform the Committee of Public Comfort at once. The headquarters of said committee are at the Glover Building, 1415 F street northwest, or at the office of Robert H. Terrell, Room 6, 609 F street northwest.

WHAT I SAW AND HEARD.

I met Mr. Andrew Lipscomb on the street Tuesday and he was positive that Mr. Henry E. Davis would not be confirmed. He was vehement in his opposition to Mr. Davis. He remarked, "let Mr. McKinley nominate Mr. Davis. I am a mossback and old hickory democrat he said. No, sir, he will never be confirmed."

My genial friend, A. St. A. Smith wants to see Justice Hewlett on the bench. He is of the opinion that he is the best man.

The boys around the courts are not doing much. J. Harry Smith has been sick for several weeks with pneumonia. Harry is a genial good fellow.

The Commissioners took prompt action and gave the first precinct officers to know that they cannot beat up people with impunity.

The fight on the Freedmen's Hospital is still going on. Of course, Dr. Williams is my choice for Surgeon in Chief, provided he means to do the square thing towards the colored physicians. I am not in favor of a superintendent. This shows Dr. Williams is making a mistake. The citizens would like to support him, but they cannot if he continues the methods that he has adopted.

Prof. J. M. Langston will make a strong fight for District Commissioner. The only question that will confront the distinguished American will be, whether he still holds his citizenship in the State of Virginia or the District of Columbia.

The colored gentlemen of California are kicking a great deal over the refusal of the republican legislature to appoint one of their number even to a messengership.

I understand there is a quiet investigation going on in the schools. What it means I don't know. The report is that some ladies are teaching under a non des plume.

The colored democrats who were so active in having republicans removed from under this administration will find out that they will have some questions to answer themselves. There are some gentlemen who made themselves particular obnoxious and active in having colored republicans removed. Some went so far as to declare that they had made great sacrifices to be democrats and for that reason they should be recognized. It has been a greater sacrifice to the colored citizens in the South to be republicans. Thousands have sacrificed their lives. The colored democrats must give way to the colored republican who has been loyal and true to his party and to his race.

The Ohio contingent will be here in force on the day of the inauguration. Bishop Arnett will have a great pull is a question of conjecture among the more knowing ones in Ohio. Some people will be greatly disappointed before the end of 1897.

The Bishops will probably name the Liberian Mission. They don't want to mix up in some questions that seems to be rather delicate. They might get their fingers burnt.

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